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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**APPLICANTS:** Ramakrishnan *et al.*

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**EXAMINER:** Cheyne D. Ly

**TITLE:** Crystal Structure of Antibiotics Bound to the 30S Ribosome and Its Use

**Mail Stop RCE**

Commissioner for Patents

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to file an Appeal Brief in the above-identified application. A check in the amount of \$510.00 (21338), in payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), is enclosed herewith. With the extension of time, this paper is due on October 20, 2005.

Please charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 26505-511. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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